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MEMORANDUM FOR United States National Guard, ATTN: NGB-JA (FOIA), 111 S. George Mason Drive, Bldg. 2, Arlington, VA 22204

SUBJECT: Referral of Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request from Ms. Kristina Wong (SAIG-JAR 19-00373)

1. While processing the subject FOIA request, we determined that this request falls under your purview. The enclosed request for "any documents related to the death of Army Staff Sgt. Matthew Q. McClintock" is being forwarded for your release determination, approval by your Initial Denial Authority, and direct response to the requester.

2. If you have any questions regarding this matter, you may contact Ms. Deramous or me at (703) 545-4591.

MARGARET F. THOMAS
Deputy Legal Advisor

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2. FOIA Response



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Dear Ms. Wong:

This letter responds to your April 8, 2019 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for any documents related to the death of Army Staff Sgt. Matthew Q. McClintock.

We are referring your FOIA request to the U.S. Army National Guard for review and direct response to you. A copy of our referral memorandum is attached.

If you have any questions, you may contact this office at (703) 545-4591. Should you call, please provide the FOIA number (19-373) that we have assigned to your request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Margaret F. Thomas".

Margaret F. Thomas
Deputy Legal Advisor